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1. TREASURY WILL PUBLISH IN FEDERAL REGISTER OF SEPTEMBER
18 NOTICE OF WITHHOLDING OF CUSTOMS APPRAISEMENT ON IMPORTS
OF BICYCLE TIRES AND TUBES FROM THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND
THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA. TWO ROC FIRMS--HWA FONG RUBBER
INDUSTRIAL CO. LTD. AND NAN KING RUBBER AND INDUSTRIAL
CORP. LTD.--WERE FOUND TO HAVE NO DUMPING MARGINS OR DE

MINIMIS MARGINS AND WERE EXCLUDED FROM THE TENTATIVE DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE. ANOTHER ROC FIRM, KENDA RUBBER TIRE CORP. LTD., WAS FOUND TO HAVE MINIMAL MARGINS AND HAS OFFERED PRICE ASSURANCES. ON THIS BASIS THE ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION CONCERNING KENDA'S SALES WILL BE DISCONTINUED.

2. WITHHOLDING ORDER WILL CONTINUE IN EFFECT FOR 6 MONTHS FROM DATE OF PUBLICATION UNLESS TERMINATED EARLIER. SHOULD TREASURY FIND SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE AND U.S. INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION FIND INJURY TO U.S. INDUSTRY, SPECIAL DUMPING DUTIES WOULD BE ASSESSED ON SUBJECT MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE AFTER SEPTEMBER 18.

3. IN 1977, U.S. IMPORTS OF SUBJECT MERCHANDISE FROM ROC AMOUNTED TO 15.3 MILLION DOLLARS; THOSE FROM ROK AMOUNTED TO 14.5 MILLION DOLLARS.

4. ROK AND ROC EMBASSIES WILL BE INFORMED SEPTEMBER 13. TREASURY WILL ISSUE PRESS RELEASE SETPEMBER 14. ABOVE FOR EMBASSY USE IN RESPONDING TO INQUIRIES ON/AFTER SETPEMBER 14.

5. COPY OF FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE FOLLOWS BY AIRGRAM. DECONTROL FOLLOWING SEPTEMBER 14, 1978. CHRISTOPHER LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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